IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of REMACLE J, ET AL.

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METHOD FOR STABILIZING PROTEINS ON A MICRO-ARRAY

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed December 19, 2006 ("Office Action"). Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper. Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.